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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Jean-Luc TAUREL et al.

Group Art Unit: 3753

Application No.: 09/843,809

Examiner: A. Chambers

Filed: April 30, 2001

Docket No.: 109419

For: A FUEL TANK AND A METHOD OF MANUFACTURING IT

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In reply to the May 7, 2003 Office Action, the period for response being effectively extended to September 8, 2003 by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**